

A Yes, he talked about it every once in a while.

Q What did he say?

A Well, he said he hoped they got it straightened up because he wanted to give a good deed.

Q Do you know whether or not Mr. Guy Stull rented or kept the farm after April 1, 1941 as the owner?

A He kept it after the first of April as the owner.

Q Prior to April 1, 1941, did he and your father divide the crops, or how did they operate the farm?

A They operated it on a 50-50 basis.

Q After April 1, 1941, did Mr. Guy Stull and your father operate the farm on a 50-50 basis or any other basis? A. No.

Q How was it operated, if you know?

A From that time on my brother took charge. He bought everything was bought and got the money for everything was sold.

Q He made no accounting to his father? A. That's right.

Q He occupied it as owner? A. That's right.

Q And made improvements? A. Right.

Q Then your father during his lifetime was not able to give a deed to your brother free of that lien of your uncle's?

A That's right.

Q Do you know whether or not your brother was willing and about to settle for the farm? A. I know he was.

Q He was ready? A. He was ready.

Q He is still on the farm? A. That's right.

CROSS EXAM. BY MR. STORM:

Q Mr. Stull, you say after April 1st your brother operated the farm as his own. What did he do that was different from how he operated it from April to September?

A The year before that my father had to pay for half of the fertilizer.

Q When did he buy the fertilizer?